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BELMONT MAN OF 85, PINNED UNDER AN AUTO, MAY DIE

Henry Frost, of No. 285 Pleasant street, Belmont, who is eighty-five years old, was seriously hurt in driving his automobile from Stoughton to Winchester today, and his daughter, Mrs. Helen Butterfield, was painfully injured.

Frost's touring car turned turtle from a peculiar cause. It was driving the machine in the truck tracks. He started to turn out for a trailer car. One of the front tires blew out.



A MAN they call Ben Franklin.

WHO WRITES pieces.

FOR ANOTHER paper.

AND WHO has a silver.

AND USES it.

AS AN automobile.

ASKED ME to go.

FOR A ride.

AND I did.

AND ON the way.

WE STOPPED.

AT THE house.

OF A friend of Franklin's.

AND GOT out.

AND HIS friend.

WAS SPRINKLING the lawn.

AND HE asked me.

TO HOLD the hose.

WHILE HE and Franklin.

WENT IN the house.

AND I did.

AND SAW some cobwebs.

ON THE branch of a tree.

AND AIMED at them.

WITH THE water.

AND HIT them.

AND SOMEBODY yelled.

AND IT WAS a woman.

ON THE veranda.

OF THE next house.

AND I WAS pointing the hose.

RIGHT AT her.

AND SHE didn't know.

ABOUT THE cobwebs.

AND THOUGHT I was doing it.

ON PURPOSE.

AND WHEN she yelled.

I BECAME excited.

AND TURNED the hose.

THROUGH AN open window.

AND WASHED some ornaments.

OFF A table.

AND TURNED again.

AND HIT a cat.

AND IT yowled.

OR WHATEVER they do.

AND I dropped the hose.

AND IT squirted.

AND STRUCK me.

AND I grabbed it again.

JUST AS Franklin.

CAME OUT of the house.

AND I hit him.

RIGHT IN the stomach.

AND HE sort of gasped.

LIKE YOU might.

WHEN YOU eat peppermint.

AND I turned again.

AND SLICED a little kitten.

OFF THE veranda.

INTO A flower box.

AND BY that time.

I WAS wild.

AND FRANKLIN could see it.

AND HE dived in.

AND GOT the hose.

WHILE THE rest of the folks.

WERE DRAGGING.

IN THE flower box.

FOR THE kitten.

IT WAS an awful dream.

AND I woke up.

ALL IN A sweat.

I THANK you.

SHARP SAYS J. S. HAS FRIEND IN FRANCE

By International News Service.

New York, Sept. 7.—One of the visitors at National Democratic Headquarters today was William G. Sharp, United States Ambassador to France. Sharp, who is the French people regarded the Democratic political situation in this country in its possible relation to them, he said.

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Several new fall designs to select from, copies of real fashions of Egyptian yarn, overlooked

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EXTRAORDINARY SPECIALS ON SALE FRIDAY

\$1.00 Waists 39c

In this lot there are lingerie styles and colored stripe models, all taken from our regular \$1.00 stock and marked special for Friday 93c. Sizes 36 to 44. None sent.

EXTRA SIZE UNION SUITS 59c

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Attractive style (as pictured) in blue and white, black and white; also open, pink or lavender stripes, finished around neck and sleeves with Hamburg edge. Sizes 36 to 48. None sent.

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RETALIATION MEASURES CLIPPED

By International News Service.

Washington, Sept. 7.—One of the retaliatory provisions that authorize the President to prohibit the use of the mail, cable and telegraph and wireless facilities to nations discriminating against American commerce was struck from the administration revenue bill today by the conference committee in charge of the measure.

It was followed by Senator Phillips, who had not been approved by the Senate Department.

The conference committee agreed to eliminate the Senate provision designed to give the President authority to prohibit the use of the mail, cable and telegraph and wireless facilities to nations discriminating against American commerce.

The House and Senate conference this afternoon were in a bitter controversy over the differential and excess protection schedule.

The fight made it certain that the House report would not be submitted to the two houses before late today.

The Senate abandoned the annual \$20,000 appropriation for the tariff commission, which was a part of the revenue act under discussion.

It was made plain by Secretary Lansing, it is understood, that this government intended to insist on the strict observance of the requirements of international law by the economic powers both in connection with the tariff and in connection with the tariff.

Mr. Clegg, chief of the Bureau of Customs, said that the tariff act of 1916 was a landmark in the history of the tariff.

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Ordinary Nuxated Iron will often increase the strength and endurance of delicate, nervous folks 200 per cent. in two weeks' time.

REPUTABLE, NOTED DR. E. W. WILARD, a well known physician who has treated in both this country and Europe, has been the author of the following statement:

"I have a chemical analysis of the blood of a patient who has been treated with Nuxated Iron, and the result is as follows:

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How NUXATED IRON helped me to whip Frank Moran

JESS WILLARD tells secret of his easy victory. Also reveals hidden secret of his great triumph over Jack Johnson, says iron is greatest of all strength builders.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—(By wire.)—A well known athlete who has won a world championship in both boxing and wrestling, and who has been the author of the following statement:

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JESS WILLARD AT HOME

Among all the prominent figures of the prize ring, probably none is so devoted to family life as Jess Willard. After each engagement the champion hurries to his wife and children and remains at their side until public demand forces him to leave for new encounters. Everything is done to bring up the "little Willards" with strong healthy bodies. Mr. Willard accounts for his own success by saying—

"I consider that plenty of iron in my blood is the secret of my great strength, power and endurance."

Jess Willard

glorious defeat simply for the lack of iron.

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500 ODD FELLOWS IN SPRINGFIELD

WILSON WISHES MEXICO BOARD "SUCCESS"

Washington, Sept. 7.—President Wilson today sent notice to the Mexican members of the joint commission that he expected them during their conference with the American members to comply with the stand of the administration that American property and lives in Mexico must be guaranteed and the border protected before a lasting peace between the two nations can exist.

Following the outlining of the administration's stand made by Secretary of State Lansing at the commission's first formal meeting in New Mexico Monday, President Wilson telegraphed the commission his "expectation that its deliberations will be crowned with a success which will cement the friendship between the two countries."

His telegram in answer to a telegraphic message of greetings from the commission received last night, follows:

May I express to the American and Mexican Joint Commission my very warm appreciation of the telegram just received, my profound interest in the tasks of friendship and accommodation that it is addressing itself, and my confident hope and expectation that its deliberations will be crowned with a success which will cement the friendship between the two countries?

WOODROW WILSON.

The message was addressed to each of the commissioners.

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Cheese 1 lb. 12c Also Fine Quality Eggs Doz. 33c
30c Coffee 1 lb. 21c 60c Teas 1 lb. 35c
"Golden Rose" Brand Old Wheat Flour 5 lb. 99c
35c Coffee 1 lb. 27c Orange Peel 1 lb. 35c

Flour Gold Medal Flour 5 lb. 99c
"Garden Valley" Brand Old Wheat Flour 5 lb. 99c
Peas 1 lb. 12c Corn Meal 5 lb. 12c
Sugar 1 lb. 12c Macaroni 1 lb. 8c
Rice Milk Cond. Can 11c Starch 1 lb. 8c
Ivory Soap, 5 Bars 19c Shoulders 1 lb. 15c
Cr. of Wheat Pk. 12c Bacon 1 lb. 22c
Mile Team Box Pk. 10c Cocoa 1 lb. 27c
Salmon 1 lb. 18c Extracts 1 lb. 27c

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Special Sale for This Week Only—Only the Oldest and Purest Wines Here
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122 Tremont St. South

U.S. Labor Is Firm in Stand for a World Conference

By International News Service.
Washington, Sept. 7.—The American Federation of Labor will renew its proposal for a world labor conference simultaneously with the general peace congress at the close of the war, in spite of the rejection of this suggestion by the British trades union convention at Birmingham, England, it was announced at Federation headquarters today.

"We still believe that such a conference would have great value in bringing and presenting the welfare of humanity and determining the nature of the decisions of the peace conference," declared Frank Matthews, secretary of the Federation.

"The refusal of the British trades unionists to listen to our proposal doubtless is based upon deep-seated objection to peace suggestions of any character."

Out of this grim and deadly hostility there has grown an intensity of feeling, bitterness and racial prejudice that serves to make all efforts at peace at this time impracticable and futile," Mr. Matthews said.

"If of the proper time our suggestion will be renewed."

**REPORT MALDEN
GIRL IS MISSING**
The Malden police have asked the assistance of the Boston authorities in their search for Miss Anna C. Gode of Malden, who disappeared from her home Tuesday, ostensibly to go to work for a state street firm at afternoon.

Mr. Carl T. Gode, her mother, told the police that the girl recently took part in a play at a Boston theatre and that after then has desired to go on the stage.

Fined for Sunday Work.
The city dumpy in Southwamptown street, was charged with several of its men in the South Boston court today for doing unnecessary work on the street.

They were each fined \$5 and appeared.

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5,000 POLICE ON STRIKE TODAY NEW YORK

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1.—On the subway all trains were running virtually on schedule time during the early morning "rush" hours.

2.—On the "L" line conditions were practically the same in some instances the crowd consisted in part of strike-breakers, but all were in uniform.

3.—No attempt was made in New York City to make any surface cars of the New York City Subway Company before midnight and 4 a. m. At the 4 a. m. hour, however, cars were sent out from the yards, and the strike-breakers were practically normal service would be furnished during the day.

4.—Five thousand policemen, practically half of the force, were detailed to strike duty. An officer was stationed on every platform of the subway and elevated line.

LOVING-DEATH MAY GO OUT.
Before the strike leaders declare that a sympathetic strike would be called necessary among the employees of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Local 100, which is the only union in the city which has not yet declared sympathy for the strike.

General Organizer Fitzgerald, who is conducting the strike, said today: "I am disappointed that more men did not go out on strike, but I am encouraged. We are confident that we shall be able to tie up the city."

After issuing this statement Fitzgerald left headquarters to attend a meeting of the strikers which he had called. He said he had "some important things" to tell his followers.

Reports of attacks on cars began to come in at police headquarters during the morning. At Clinton and Madison streets a band of sympathizers stoned a north-bound car, smashing the windows.

Detective Inspector Cohen, who had been of police strike duty, reported during the forenoon that normal service was being maintained on the subway and that only 15 to 20 per cent of the surface cars were running.

SHOTS TOO RISKY.

Late in the forenoon the Public Service Commission instituted an investigation of the causes leading up to the strike.

General Organizer Fitzgerald accepted an invitation to appear before the commission and state the union side of the case. He said that the union were too busy "maintaining public safety" to appear.

The company announced that it would be represented at the hearing by Arthur Peacock, an assistant in its legal department. It was also announced that the company would pay double wages to employees remaining loyal and sticking to their posts during the strike.

ITALIANS TO SING FOR BILLY SUNDAY

Many Italians will sing in the Billy Sunday tabernacle chorus, notwithstanding the protest against the organization by the American Unitarian Association of No. 21 Boston street.

Unitarians have applied to Chairman Warren W. Adams of the music committee of the Sunday campaign for the privilege of singing in the chorus.

"We are very glad to have the Unitarians sing at the tabernacle meetings," said Chairman Adams. "They are a fine body of men and we will take kindly to their theology. We will do all we can to make the Italians to the choir and give them every privilege of singing the song by singing the Sunday hymns."

Next Monday at the meeting of the Unitarian Association in the Rev. W. 21 of Concord church, who will preside, has been requested to shut out any mention of Billy Sunday. The Unitarian campaign against the teaching of the evangelist will be one of silence.

The Boston Elevated will put an extra track front of the subway tabernacle on Huntington avenue. This will make four tracks in that locality.

The north, west and south sides of the city will be crowded with people. Thirty laborers and seventy carpenters, employed by the city, are at work on the subway. The timber to be used will measure 11,000 feet with 1,000 joints of wood.

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"Whenever My Robies Have a Cold or Cough Give Them Father John's Medicine."

Robies' Medicine for Coughs and Colds. It is a safe, reliable, and effective remedy for all cases of cough, cold, and croup. It is made of pure, natural ingredients and is suitable for all ages.

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Here's an excellent suit for a little price—We doubt if its equal can be found in Boston. Included are fancy mixtures, blue serges and cassimeres. In a wide range of patterns.

5.00 Worsted Trousers, 3.95
**Men's Negligee
Shirts at 95c**
Made of woven madras, with attached laundered and turn back cuffs. Neat stripe effect. Original value 1.50.

**Men's Pajamas
Special at 95c**
These are made of mercerized madras, trimmed with silk loops. Original value 1.50.

50c Neckwear at 25c
**Men's Fibre
Silk Hose, 17c**
These are fibre silk plated hose, made seamless, in black, white and popular colors; they're seconds of 25c grade.

**Men's Athletic
Union Suits, 29c**
Made of fine quality bleached cloth, sleeveless, in knee length; these are seconds of 50c grade.

**Girls' Smart New Fall
Plaid Dresses, 1.95**
Made in new large patterns, vest effects, white piping trimmed, also fancy necks and collars, velvet belts. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

**Girls' White
Dresses**
Double collar of embroidery, waists trimmed to match. Sizes 6 to 14 years. Original value 2.00. 69c

**Girls' Jean
Middies**
Some colored trimmed. Sizes 10 to 20 years. Original value 49c.

Smart School Appare for Misses
**Misses' 3.95 New
Fall Skirts 2.95**
Choice of serges and fancy mixtures. Fashioned in a striking new model shirred back with two patch pockets.

**Misses' 9.50 Wool
School Coats 7.95**
These are serviceable wool mixtures. Made in good stylish models with smart pockets. Excellent value.

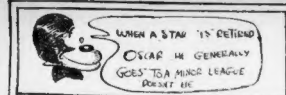
**Misses' 13.50 New
School Suits 10.95**
Real smart Suits, in fancy mixtures, fashioned on a snappy little Norfolk model, with belted coat and pockets. Fine bargain.

**Misses' 14.95 New
Fall Suits 11.95**
Splendid New Suits, in serges and poplins. Also small girls' Suits in broadcloth and checks. Stunning little suits.

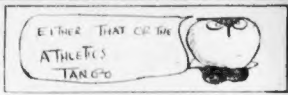
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BOY IN AMERICAN SPORTS



LINART IS PICKED TO WIN

Rider a Big Favorite in World's Cycling Derby at Revere Track Saturday Night.

Victor Linart, the Belgian star, has been made a favorite in the world's cycling derby, to be staged at the Revere cycle track Saturday night. This race is by far the most important event of the bike season, as with it goes the title of world's middle distance champion, in addition to the purse, a beautifully engraved medal and numerous other honors.

In the past, this year's derby has been decided over a route of 100 kilometers (62 1/2 miles). Linart will have to defend his title against what is undoubtedly the best field in motor-automobile racing. Included in this field are the two American cracks, Clayton Carson and George Wiley; Vincent Ludovani, the little Italian sensation, and Leon Didier, the speedy Frenchman.

Because of the great expense of staging this event, Manager Nat Butler of the beach oval finds it absolutely necessary to increase the prize. He has done this in past years on such occasions as this, and has never had a complaint, as the "fans" really feel well what a great expense he is under.

Every effort will be made to make this year's derby the biggest and best effort. Extra pace followers and machines will be on the track at all times to fill in case of emergency.

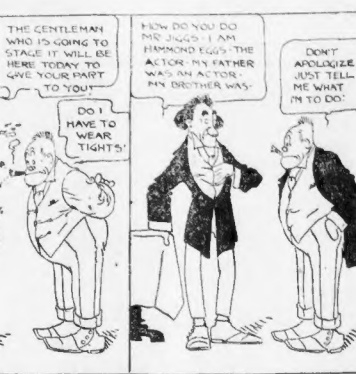
Manager Butler has made it plain to the riders that they must have at least three bikes always ready in case of accident.

Mayor Curley of Revere will be the evening's guest of honor. He will be asked to start the race and will occupy a front seat in the grandstand. After the event he will present the winner with the greatest honor that can be bestowed upon a bike rider.

GREEN-GEORGETOWN GAME AT HAVERHILL

Ha-ver-hill, Sept. 2.—Arrangements have been completed to transfer the annual Green-Georgetown football game from Haverhill to Haverhill. The date set is October 21. The new grounds to be erected at Haverhill will accommodate from 12,000 to 14,000 persons.

Bringing Up Father



Two Star Bouts Top the Weekly C.A.C. Card

George Robinson, the colored Cambridge middleweight, and Carlo Armstrong, Benny Barker's boy, are the 155-pound class, are scheduled to furnish the fireworks in one ten-round bout on the twin card at the Commercial A.C. tomorrow night.

The winner will be sent against Barrett Smith, the Seattle, Wash., middleweight, who is in Boston looking for a match.

There will also be a ten-round bout between Charley Sheppard and Johnny Downes. Sheppard has two decisions over Johnny Downes, a stalemate of Downes, and the latter is anxious to upset the New Yorker.

Rich Charter Oak Stake Features Today's Card

Hartford, Ct., Sept. 7.—Ed ("Top") Harris scored an easy victory over Brown Bell and Single in the ten-minute pace, the feature event on the Grand Circuit card, winning in straight heats.

The fastest heat was the first, when Napoleon Direct came under the wire in 2:04 1/2.

The first extra-heat event of the day came in the 2:15 pace. Princess Wilcox, driven by Credor, Walter Cox, with Young Todd, came to the front after that and won the next three heats.

Brown Watt took the 2:25 race for three-year-olds, getting the second heat in 2:15 1/2.

The thirty-first renewal of the Charter Oak stake will be raced today. It. Prince, Mabel Truck and Lou Day are the leading contestants for the \$2,000 purse.

ROAMER WILL RACE STROMBOLI AGAIN

New York, Sept. 7.—No racing event in recent years has excited so much interest as the special match to be run at Belmont Park Saturday between Roamer and Stromboli, the greatest geldings in the country.

The pair met last Saturday in a one and one-half mile race. Stromboli won by a nose after trailing all the way.

LYNCH STOPS ATTELL

New York, Sept. 7.—Joe Lynch, the West Side bantamweight, who is considered the most formidable little pugilist in his country, has accepted "Kid" Williams or Kewpie Little, who is practically matched, to meet Jimmy Wilde in London.

PHILADELPHIA JACK O'BRIEN, the local favorite, will fight at the weigh-in today, and his day was better than that of any other day in the city.

NEWTON HIGH SCHEDULE

Newton High School will have a basketball game with Newton North High School on Thursday night.

HOWARD CARL, manager of New Haven, has been elected to the position of president of the National Association of Professional Baseball Players.

NATE (YIPPIE) BODAL of Boston, Frankie Mack's training partner, wants a fight with some of the best fighters in the world.

NEXT Tuesday night's two six-rounders at the Army Athletic Club will be a boxing match between John J. McCarthy and Tony Murphy.

KILBANE GETS BID TO BOX FRED WELSH

Cleveland, Sept. 7.—Johnny Kilbane, featherweight champion, who Labor Day knocked out Chicago's Alvin Karpis, has been offered a fight with Fred Welsh.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—The New York City Police Department has received a report that a man named "Big Boy" is in the city.

ROXING PAN—(1) W. E. Nephew is in the city. (2) The Police Department has received a report that a man named "Big Boy" is in the city.

SPORTWOOD BY GEO. E. PHAIR

PUGILISM.
Lies of champions revealed so that the world would be satisfied if the boxing trust assigned as Forty weeks of vendetta time.

Heraldize is demonstrating that he can be a regular ball player when he wants to be, but he seldom wants to be.

WE HAVE HEARD OF MEN WHO WOULD RATHER FIGHT THAN NOT, BUT MOST OF OUR PUGILISTS HAVE HEALTHY APPETITES.

THE MAN IS A FUNNY ANIMAL.
The one comes pouring down.

THE BUTTER DOESN'T COME.
And burns the whole damn town.

REGARDLESS OF THE WEATHER.
We can see hats of straw.

WEATHER, BUT NOT THE WEATHER.
How! How! How! How! How!

AS WE ANNOUNCED ACTIVELY SOME OF THE MEN, ANTIQUE IS APPROACHING.
Joe Murray has purchased almost two new Bellinghams.

TOO YOUNG.
"I'd like to join the Browns," he said, "but I'm still a little young."

FOUR JONES IS THE MURDER MAN OF THE YEAR.
For I am a little young—my age is fourteen years.

BASEBALL MANAGERIES ARE NOT PARTICULARLY ANTI-CLERICAL.
The only time they become annoyed is when the fans arrive.

FRED PATTEN AND ANDERSON
will meet in Elm City, Conn., on October 27, but there is no law which compels you to be in Elm City, Conn., on October 27.

BASEBALL HAVING BECOME THE MAIN PASTIME OF THE PEOPLE, THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF PROFESSIONAL BASEBALL PLAYERS HAS DECIDED TO HOLD A MEETING IN NEW YORK CITY ON OCTOBER 27.

GLUTTON FOR PUNISHMENT.
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NEW YORK RING TALK

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—(Sporting News.)—Clara and Jimmy Doyle will return to the entertainment at the Empire A.C. tonight.

LEO JOHNSON, the colored lightweight, will face Mel Cogan at the Harmonium Club, Brooklyn, tonight.

AT the Fairmount Club, Saturday night, Harry Stanley will meet John Lester Johnson.

JOHN HARVEY will meet Phil Thomas at the Broadway Sporting Club, Brooklyn, September 18.

HENRY MEYERS has taken Joe usually to St. Louis, where he will meet Harry Trenchard September 20. From there Meyers will travel to Memphis, where he will meet Joe Mayfield, a week later.

U.S. SOCCER ELEVEN WINS
Brooklyn, N.Y., Sept. 7.—The All-American soccer football eleven defeated a team composed of players of the Minnesota Ironworkers and Chicago Club, 2-1. This game was the last to be played of the season. The Americans had a three-mile run.

COLLIERIE CAN TWIRL
Trenton, N.J., Sept. 7.—(Sporting News.)—Collierie has been declared champion of the National Collierie League by the National Collierie League.

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PERSHING GOES ON HUNT FOR VILLA

El Paso, Texas, Sept. 7.—With a code message from General Pershing to his pocket General Pershing left Columbus, N. M., in a driving rain, hurrying back to his base in Mexico. The message is known to concern the movements of Pancho Villa, the Mexican bandit chief, whose movements south of the Pershing line lately have been attracting the attention of Mexican and American officials.

General Pershing declined to say what his instructions were, but it was believed here that his orders were to cooperate if possible with Carranza officials to exterminate Villa. If this is not possible he is to go after Villa on his own account if he and his band approach close enough to the American encampments.

General Pershing had been at Columbus for several days inspecting the forces guarding his base of supplies and evidently was in no hurry to return to Mexico. On receipt of the message, however, arrangements were made for departure, and the general and his staff set out again for the South.

Santa Clara Canyon, where Villa is reported as having last been seen, is one of the most fertile regions in northern Mexico. It is a wide valley fed by two rivers and there is ample natural forage for horses and as large herds of beef cattle roam the grass covered ground plenty of food is available for men.

Trains leaving Juarez for the north carried additional guards of soldiers. Mexican military authorities declined to discuss reports that this step had been taken because of Villa's northward march.

ACCUSED OF TAKING HIS OWN PROPERTY

In the South Boston Court today, John J. Donovan, a contractor, was arraigned on the charge of breaking and entering the storehouse of Frank J. Hellen and the larceny of tools, the latter, it is alleged, being Donovan's own property. After hearing the testimony of Donovan, who testified that he had not stolen anything, the court ordered him discharged. Donovan is the owner of a small building on a street, but because of some difference with the latter his tools were held in custody. He secured legal advice, went to the storehouse and, with a crowbar, pried open the door and took the tools.

'BLACK HAND' KILLED WALSH, SAYS COLE

Clinton, Sept. 7.—Former Adjutant General Charles H. Cole, campaigning for the Democratic nomination for Governor, spoke today in this the home town of former Governor Walsh. He said:

David I. Walsh was a martyr for the working people and the farmers and because he dared to ask for better laws for those citizens he was marked for political death by that black hand society, the criminal corporate power, more popularly and correctly known as the 'invisible government.' But the issue for which Walsh stood can neither be killed nor driven out of office.

EXPECT TO END PITTSFIELD STRIKE

Pittsfield, Sept. 7.—Members of the State Board of Arbitration announced this morning that Manager C. C. Chesney of the General Electric plant here had agreed to receive and confer with a committee of employees from each of the departments affected by the strike, the conference to take place at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The board is optimistic that a settlement may be reached at the conference.

WOMAN PROTESTS IN OPEN COURT

Kitty Campbell started the City Court today by shrill protest. She and Charles E. Pelton are charged with the same offenses. His lawyer asked for another continuance to get Pelton's witnesses. "Don't continue it, Your Honor," cried the woman. "He's guilty and afraid to face the truth. Who doesn't face this man in court? Don't send me back to Charles street jail, please. I've eaten nothing there and I've cried all the time." Judge Burke gave continuance until tomorrow, when the case must be heard, whether Pelton is ready or not.

N. Y. GASOLINE CUT NO AID TO BOSTON

Although another reduction of one cent a gallon has been made in gasoline prices in New York, bringing wholesale price down to 22 cents a gallon, no change in quotation has yet been made by Standard Oil Company in Boston. The wholesale price here remains at 23 cents. The reason given for the reduction in price in New York is the heavy increase in the production of crude oil. It seems quite possible, however, that some reduction may be made here in the near future.

SOCIETY HEIRESS KILLED BY AUTO

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Miss Josephine Murphy, Minneapolis society girl and daughter of William J. Murphy, the millionaire editor and owner of the Minneapolis Tribune, was killed near Oak Park early today, when an automobile plunged over a steep embankment. Her chauffeur was seriously injured, but he has been unable to give an account of the accident.

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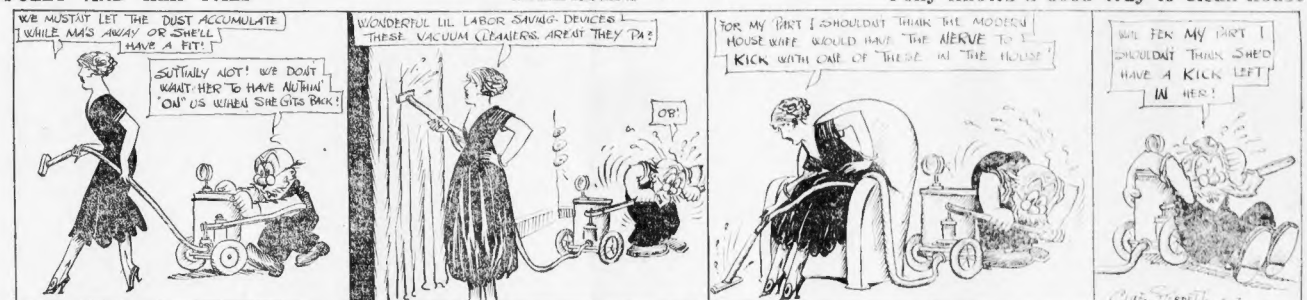
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GOAT GRABBERS



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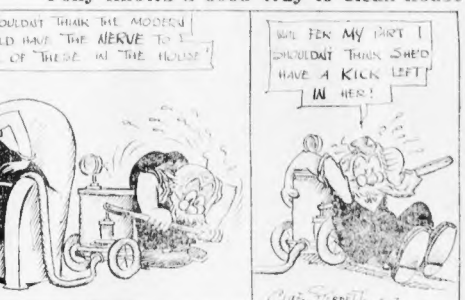
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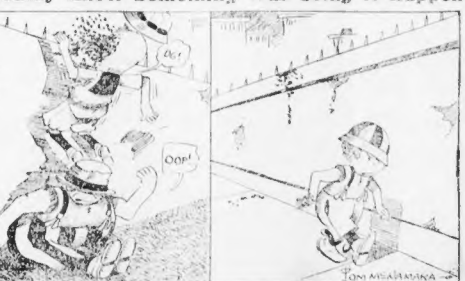
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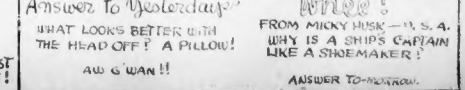
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Thursday, September 7, 1916

Mr. Wilson Displays Unfortunate Ignorance of Mexican Conditions

MR. WILSON'S speech of acceptance is pretty equally divided into two parts.

One is a eulogy of the domestic legislation enacted during this administration.

The other is a defence of Mr. Wilson's foreign policies.

Much of the domestic legislation has undoubtedly been good; the good outweighs the bad, and there are certainly some grounds for Mr. Wilson's eulogy. The Federal Reserve act, the Rural Credits act, the Tariff Commission, the increase of the navy, the Child Labor law, the Eight-Hour Labor law for railroad trainmen—these are all excellent measures, for which we very cheerfully give Mr. Wilson as much credit as he cares to ask.

But when Mr. Wilson leaves this field and begins to apologize for and to defend his foreign policies it must be evident to any intelligent person that he makes a sorry failure.

In truth, those policies are indefensible, because they have been so weak and so wrong and so disastrous in results that they give themselves the lie in any defence.

Stripped of vague generalities and copybook platitudes, Mr. Wilson's assertions in regard to his foreign policies are these:

1. He has been strictly neutral and impartial in his conduct toward all the European belligerents.

2. He has been right in his refusal to protect American lives and properties in Mexico because the Mexican people are struggling to obtain freedom, and what they do in that struggle is no business of ours.

The fatal weakness of Mr. Wilson's defence of his foreign policies is that the very argument he uses to defend the severity with which he has confronted German aggressions upon our rights on the seas and his humiliating submission to British aggressions upon our rights on the seas flatly contradicts the argument he uses to apologize for his policy of non-interference in Mexico.

Mr. Wilson says that German aggressions occasioned loss of American lives and threatened to occasion the loss of more lives, whereas British aggressions only destroy the commerce and property of Americans; therefore we had to stop German aggressions at once, but can afford to wait until the war is over and England is done destroying our property and violating our rights and then bring suit for damages.

To quote Mr. Wilson's own words:

"The rights of our citizens of course became involved; that was inevitable. Where they did, this was our guiding principle: That property rights can be vindicated by claims for damages when the war is over, and no modern nation can decline to arbitrate such claims; but the fundamental rights of humanity cannot be. The loss of life is irreparable. Neither can direct violations of a nation's sovereignty await vindication in suits for damages. The nation that violates these essential rights must expect to be checked and called to account by direct challenge and resistance. It at once makes the quarrel in part our own."

After reading this we are not surprised to find Mr. Wilson saying:

"In foreign affairs we have been guided by principles clearly conceived and consistently lived up to. Perhaps they have not been fully comprehended because they have hitherto governed international affairs only in theory, not in practice."

Certainly no self-respecting nation on earth has ever put such a doctrine into practice, and we are quite sure that Mr. Wilson deserves whatever credit belongs to the original discoverer of such a theory of proper national conduct.

You will notice that this beautiful theory of permitting a rowdy to break up your furniture and set your house afire without interference as long as he does not shoot your dog or kick your cat does contain one sentiment that snacks of manliness. That is the assertion that direct attacks upon the lives of its citizens and direct violations of its sovereignty must be met by an honorable nation with direct resistance.

By this, we take it, Mr. Wilson means to say that had German submarines killed another American he would have dismissed Count von Bernstorff and asked Congress to declare war.

Very well. Then how about Mexico?

Mr. Carranza claims to be the government of Mexico, and Mr. Wilson says that he is. The Mexicans under Carranza have killed over one thousand American men, women and children during the three and a half years Mr. Wilson has been President.

Why have these attacks upon American lives and these violations of sovereign rights not been met with a "direct challenge and resistance"?

Is it unlawful for Germans only to kill unarmed and unoffending Americans?

Does the self-respect and do the sovereign rights of the United States extend only over such waters as are not dominated by British fleets and cease to exist at the Rio Grande?

We would like to know what possible sophistry can justify a threat of justice against Germany for endangering American lives on British ships and a contemporaneous refusal to threaten war upon Mexico for continuing to butcher Americans on Mexican soil.

Certainly Mr. Wilson has nowhere in his speech attempted to reconcile his reasoning with these two opposite and irreconcilable courses of conduct. He has simply dodged the dilemma in silence.

We are sorry to have to say that to his contradictory apology for and defence of his abandonment of Americans in Mexico to the cruelties and robberies of one thief and murderer after another Mr. Wilson has added an absolutely false statement of the internal conditions of Mexico. In truth, there is hardly a fact in that connection which he has not falsified.

We do not hesitate to acquit Mr. Wilson of having knowingly resorted to falsehood, and are quite sure that he actually believes what he says about Mexico to be the truth. And this only goes to show how ignorant of conditions in a foreign country a stubborn and untravelled man can be.

The fact is that Mr. Wilson has all along been fatally hampered in this Mexican business. He says himself that he had formed his theory of Mexican conditions three weeks after he assumed the presidency and has never changed it.

Unfortunately, that is characteristic of Mr. Wilson. Having formed a theory, he insists upon making the facts fit the theory. And since the real facts will not fit the theory, he lends a ready and believing ear to liars who bring him falsehoods which they think will please him.

As a matter of fact, the only way in which the President can be acquitted of deliberately falsifying the conditions in Mexico is to defend him on the ground that he doesn't know anything about the true conditions in Mexico. To which we might truthfully add that he is so stubbornly attached to his own fantastic theory that he is unable to learn the truth about Mexico.

Mr. Wilson declares that the people of Mexico are engaged in a great revolutionary struggle for political freedom and personal liberty. This is what he himself says:

"The people of Mexico are striving for the rights that are fundamental to life and happiness—fifteen million oppressed men, overburdened women and pitiful children in virtual bondage in their own home of fertile lands and inexhaustible treasure!"

"Some of the leaders of the revolution may often have been mistaken and violent and selfish, but the revolution itself was inevitable and is right. The unspeakable Huerta betrayed the very comrades he secured, traitorously overthrew the government of which he was a trusted part, impudently spoke for the very forces that had driven his people to the rebellion with which he had pretended to sympathize."

"The men who overcame him and drove him out represent at least the fierce passion of reconstruction which lies at the very heart of liberty, and so long as they represent, however imperfectly, such a struggle for deliverance, I am ready to serve their ends when I can."

If Mr. Wilson really believes this absurd nonsense, he certainly knows nothing at all about Mexico and Mexicans.

The unspeakable Huerta was indeed a man who hesitated at neither treachery nor bloodshed to gain his ends. But in this he was not different from, and was no better and no worse than, Carranza, Villa, Obregon, Felix Diaz, Zapata, Gaviro or any other of the uniformed brigands who have been struggling for despotic power in Mexico.

Mr. Wilson cannot point to a single one of these leaders who has not resorted to treachery and to assassination as often as, and, indeed, oftener than, Huerta ever did.

And of all this outfit it can be said of Huerta that he was the only one who never, directly or indirectly, incited or condoned the assassination of inoffensive American men and women. Even when Mr. Wilson was using the American army and navy to intervene in Mexico long enough to drive Huerta from power, American lives were safe under Huerta's immediate rule.

But the vitally false impression the President has and seeks to convey to the country is his impression that the Mexican people are engaged in a great struggle for national and individual liberty.

The Mexican people are not engaged in a struggle for liberty. The Mexican people are not engaged in any struggle at all.

The Mexican people are simply engaged in SCIMITTING to the extortioners, robbers, assassinations, outrages and lawless rule of whatever crafty scoundrel rides into their city or village with enough armed ruffians to overawe them.

Mr. Wilson draws a moving picture of 15,000,000 oppressed Mexicans struggling for freedom.

We would be glad to have him tell us under what leader they are struggling.

Is it Carranza who is leading the hosts of the oppressed? Or Villa? Or Zapata? Or Felix Diaz?

Mr. Wilson seems to look upon Carranza as the Mexican Angel of Deliverance. Then why is it, if the Mexican people are struggling to be free under the government of Mr. Carranza, that that eminent humanitarian dare not show his face in Mexico City without a guard of soldiers, and that his life would not be worth a pin if he ventured into either one of the States south and east of Mexico City, including the populous, powerful and progressive State of Oaxaca?

The struggles in Mexico, which Mr. Wilson approves and which he has certainly prolonged, are no more struggles for liberty than are the struggles of thieves who first rob honest folk and then fall out and fight over the plunder.

Poor Mexico is the bleeding victim of heartless, selfish, unscrupulous and cruel and rapacious chiefs who are able to get control of this district or that in turn and whose followers oppress, rob, outrage and kill Mexicans as well as Americans whenever it suits them.

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He Simply Ran Right Into It

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The poor poets who are supposed to be fiercely yearning for constitutional freedom are patient and illiterate Indians and halfbreeds, whose only object in life at present is to keep out of sight of one of Mr. Wilson's heroic liberators.

The only liberty for which the millions of Mexican long is the liberty to keep enough food to live on and to stay out of the "arms" of the liberators.

The only government that millions of Mexicans pray for is a government strong enough to catch and kill every revolutionary chief and thief who is in arms, and so let the poor people have peace in which to make their crops and earn their simple living.

Mexico is not a sorely tried neighbor State, struggling nobly for freedom.

Mexico is a wretched nation, bound hand and foot by uniformed villains and given over to every abomination of anarchy, despotism, savagery and rapacity.

Mr. Wilson says that American ideals of justice and righteousness demand that we stand by with folded arms and let this riot of anarchy and cruelty go on unchecked.

We deny that.

We affirm that every American ideal of justice and righteousness demands that we interfere to stop this anarchy and cruelty; to protect these hapless and defenceless millions in Mexico from the dreadful wrongs and sufferings they now endure; to restore peace and order and industry in that most unhappy land.

We affirm that by every law of God and of humanity it is our solemn duty to put out this conflagration in neighboring Mexico; to rescue these suffering wretches who are dying by thousands from starvation this very day; to extend above their unfortunate and defenceless heads the strong shield and the powerful arm of the American people.

WE ARE OUR BROTHERS' KEEPERS.

It is a cowardly shirking of national responsibility and national duty to stand by idly and unconcerned and watch this horror going on.

We really wish that Mr. Wilson could be brought to comprehend the woe and suffering his mistaken policies and his stubborn ignorance of conditions have brought upon the unhappy Mexican people.

We wish he could see Mexico as it is—the wretched, starving people, the dying mothers yearning over their skeleton babes, the anarchy, the woe, the agonies of that harried and distressed land.

We believe that even he, if he could bring himself to see the facts and hear the truth, would be moved to the word to our soldiers to advance their standards, to carry into Mexico the rescue and the protection of the bright and beneficent flag of the United States.

More Truth Than Poetry

By James J. Montague

Running for President

THEY have snapped him in a bucket in the bowels of a mine; They have snapped him on the beaches as he battled with the brine.

He's been mugged beside the throttle in a locomotive cab, And beside a quarry windlass, hauling up a granite slab. And he always looks unhappy and he always hangs his head, But a candidate must do it; for it proves his blood is red.

HE shakes hands with noted pitchers, he shakes hands with engineers; He goes up with aviators, though he quakes with horrid fears. He ascends tall snow-capped mountains to their timid, topmost done.

And you notice—in the pictures—that he'd rather be at home. In new subway excavations he goes sloshing through the mud. For his managers demand it; it reveals he has red blood.

IN a soiled and rattled sweater and a cap upon his thatch, He is pictured posing proudly with a fish he didn't catch. In the dark and trackless forest, where the awful screech owls hoot, He is snapped beside a rifle and a bear he didn't shoot.

For in this, our country's annals, since elections first began, These things prove a politician is a real red-blooded man.

Why Not? Following a regular business custom, Uncle Sam could buy the Daniel West Index for \$25,000,000, issue \$25,000,000 new stock on them, get a well known Wall Street firm to underwrite the deal and make a very tidy little profit.

Looking Ahead Hindenburg evidently counts on winning the pennant next year if he doesn't this year. He's now warning up forty-two new generals to take the places of the forty-two he is preparing to send to the bench.

What Is a Chorus Girl Made of?

Silk stockings and rustling lingerie, your first guess might be. But that is far from the fact. The real story, by a man who knows whereof he speaks, appears in next

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